

Message Text

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ACTION NEA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 NEAE-00 EUR-12 AGRE-00 AID-05 SSO-00
INRE-00 NSCE-00 USIE-00 CIAE-00 DODE-00 PM-05
H-01 INR-07 L-03 NSAE-00 PA-01 PRS-01 SP-02
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FM AMEMBASSY CAIRO
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 141
INFO AMCONSUL ALEXANDRIA IMMEDIATE

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DEPT PLEASE PASS TO AID/FFP

E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: EAID EG US
SUBJ: ALLEGED DIVERSION OF U.S. GRAIN

REF: (A) STATE 230798 (B) CAIRO 16181 (C) CAIRO 16213
(D) CAIRO 16292 (E) CAIRO 16456

1. SS POTOMAC CARRIED 21,200 MT TITLE I BULK CORN UNDER
PA 5021 ACCORDING USAID RECORDS.

2. BASED ON THE ABOVE AND THE OTHER INFORMATION RESULTING FROM
INTENSIVE INVESTIGATION THIS MATTER, WHICH WAS GATHERED AND
TRANSMITTED IN REFS. (B) THROUGH (E), MISSION BELIEVES
THAT THERE IS NO REPEAT NO BASIS IN FACT FOR DIVERSION
ALLEGATION CONTAINED REF. (A). SUGGESTIONS REFS. (B) AND
(C) THAT INFORMANTS ERRONEOUSLY INFERRED DIVERSION FROM
OBSERVATIONS VARIOUS LOADING AND UNLOADING OPERATIONS
PROBABLY ACCURATE. FURTHERMORE, GOE SECURITY OFFICERS,
WHO WERE CONTACTED IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT REF. (A),
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CATEGORICALLY STATED THAT IT WOULD BE QUOTE IMPOSSIBLE
UNQUOTE TO EFFECT A TRANSFER SUCH AS THAT DESCRIBED
AS THERE ARE SECURITY OFFICERS POSTED ON EACH VESSEL WHEN
IT IS UNLOADING AND ON THE QUAY ITSELF. WE THEREFORE
CONCLUDE THAT CONGRESSMAN RUDD'S INFORMANTS MUST HAVE BEEN
MISTAKEN.
MATTHEWS

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Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
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Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: GRAINS, ALLEGATIONS
Control Number: n/a
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Decaption Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Decaption Note:
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Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 22 May 2009
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
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Executive Order: N/A
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